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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Sackstein

SERIAL NUMBER: 10/042,421 EXAMINER: Phillip Gambel

FILING DATE: October 18, 2001 ART UNIT: 1644

TITLE: HEMATOPOIETIC CELL E-SELECTIN/ L-SELECTIN LIGAND POLYPEPTIDES AND

METHODS OF USE THEREOF

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond further to the Office Action dated September 28, 2007, in the above-identified application. With the extension, this Response is due on or before February 28, 2008.

Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 36459-501.

Respectfully submitted,

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